

**HARDYSTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA
MARCH 24, 2026
7:00 PM**

I. Call to Order

This is to advise the general public and to instruct that it be recorded in the Minutes that in compliance with Chapter 231 of the Public Law 1975, entitled, "Open Public Meetings Act," Hardyston Township Board of Education posted a meeting notice setting forth the time, date, and location of this meeting at the Office of Hardyston Township Board of Education and on the district's web site and mailed to the New Jersey Herald and to the Office of the Municipal Clerk of Hardyston Township.

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Roll Call

Mrs. Donna Carey	present	absent	arrived at _____ p.m.
Mr. Nick Demsak	present	absent	arrived at _____ p.m.
Mr. Brian Drelick	present	absent	arrived at _____ p.m.
Mr. Ron Hoffman	present	absent	arrived at _____ p.m.
Ms. Dana Kalczuk	present	absent	arrived at _____ p.m.
Mrs. Susan Lucarelli	present	absent	arrived at _____ p.m.
Ms. Clarissa Marotta	present	absent	arrived at _____ p.m.
Mr. Edward Reinle	present	absent	arrived at _____ p.m.
Ms. Kelly Stoll	present	absent	arrived at _____ p.m.
Dr. Michael Ryder	present	absent	arrived at _____ p.m.
Mrs. Susan Verso	present	absent	arrived at _____ p.m.

Quorum confirmed: Yes No

Special Guest(s) Present: _____

Staff Member(s) Present: _____

Community Member(s) Present: _____
Other: _____

MISSION STATEMENT

The Hardyston School District together with our parents, families and community is dedicated to preparing our students for the 21st Century by providing each student with a quality education, in a safe and caring environment, which allows all students to achieve the New Jersey Core Curriculum Content Standards and Common Core State Standards at all grade levels and includes the knowledge, confidence, and self-esteem to be successful life-long learners in a culturally diverse democracy.

IV. Workshop

1. Updates to Agenda
2. Board President’s Report
3. Committee Reports:
4. Finance, Facilities and Operations & Technology Infrastructure (Ron Hoffman)
Personnel, Negotiations, Grievance & Policy (Nick Demsak)
Curriculum, Programs, Educational Technology & Community Relations (Donna Carey)
5. HTEA Report
6. Superintendent’s Report
[Fire and Security Drill Report](#)
7. **Student Recognition:** HMS Spelling Bee Participants:
Brooklyn Birdsall, Matteo Manger, Caleb Dunn, Grayson Snure, Marvin
Francois, Brody Hintzen, Gina Campa, Veronica Velez, and Carson Keil
Spelling Bee Champion: **Camila Luna**

V. Public Comment (Board Policy #0167) (please limit comments to action agenda items only)

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VI. Executive Session if needed

Motion is presented by _____ and seconded by _____ that the Hardyston Township Board of Education enters private session at _____ p.m. to discuss _____, which is exempt from public participation pursuant to New Jersey Public Law 1975, Chapter 231, “Open Public Meetings Act.” Any discussion held by the Board which need not remain confidential will be made public when appropriate. Minutes of the private session will not be disclosed until the need for confidentiality no longer exists. The Board will reconvene in public session at the conclusion of the closed session.

VII. Return to Public Session

Motion to the Board of Education will return to public session at _____ p.m.

Roll Call

- Mrs. Donna Carey _____
- Mr. Nick Demsak _____
- Mr. Brian Drelick _____
- Mr. Ron Hoffman _____
- Ms. Dana Kalczuk _____
- Mrs. Susan Lucarelli _____
- Ms. Clarissa Marotta _____
- Mr. Ed Reinle _____
- Ms. Kelly Stoll _____

- Dr. Michael Ryder _____
- Mrs. Susan Verso _____

Action following Executive Session if needed:

VIII. Old Business

O/B-1

- April 14 – Regular Meeting
- April 28 – Public Budget Presentation
- May 12 – Regular Meeting
- June 9 – Regular Meeting

O/B-1

Motion of adopt:	_____		Seconded By:	_____	
MOTION	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT	
Carey	_____	_____	_____	_____	
Demsak	_____	_____	_____	_____	
Drelick	_____	_____	_____	_____	
Hoffman	_____	_____	_____	_____	
Kalczuk	_____	_____	_____	_____	
Lucarelli	_____	_____	_____	_____	
Marotta	_____	_____	_____	_____	
Reinle	_____	_____	_____	_____	
Stoll	_____	_____	_____	_____	

O/B-2

Motion to approve, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the tentative 2026-2027 school budget for submission and approval to the Executive County Superintendent as follows:

The Hardyston Township Board of Education has proposed programs and services in this budget in addition to the New Jersey Student Learning Standards adopted by the State Board of Education. The Hardyston Township Board of Education approves this “tentative” budget to be presented to the Sussex Executive County Superintendent of Schools for approval prior to advertising in the New Jersey Herald and on the district’s web site. The budget will be approved by the County Superintendent prior to the public meeting. The budget will be revised, if necessary, at the public hearing on April 28, 2026 (reschedule date is May 12, 2026).

The motion further provides authorization to the Superintendent and SBA to modify the budget shown below, if necessary, based on the final preparation of this budget for approval.

<u>Appropriations</u>				<u>26-27</u>
	Total General Current Expense (Fund 11)			\$14,113,978
		Total Capital Outlay		\$75,673
	Charter School Tuition (Fund 10)			\$105,331
		General Fund Total		
	Special Revenue Fund (Fund 20)			\$1,698,187
	Repayment of Debt (Fund 40)			\$781,194
			Total Appropriations	\$16,774,363
<u>Revenues</u>				<u>26-27</u>
	Local Tax Levy			\$12,048,799

	Misc. Revenue			
	Interest on Main Reserve			\$15,000
	Interest on Cap Reserve			\$15,000
		Total Revenue from Local Sources		\$12,078,799
St Sources	School Choice			\$127,939
	Transportation Aid			\$573,473
	Special Ed Aid			\$724,867
	Security Aid			\$91,690
	Adjustment Aid			\$0
	SEMI			\$0
	ExtraOrdinary Aid			\$235,000
		Revenue from State Sources		\$1,752,969
Otr Sources	Budgeted Fund Balance			\$463,214
	Withdrawal from Capital Reserve (10-307)			\$0
	Withdrawal from Maint Reserve (10-310)			\$0
		Total Operating Budget (Fund 10 & 11 & 12)		\$14,294,982
	Title I	(Updated 75% for Budget)		\$67,983
	Title IV	(Updated 75% for Budget)		\$4,567
	IDEA	(Updated 75% for Budget)		\$117,675
	PreSchool Expansion Aid			\$1,507,962
		Special Revenue Funds (Fund 20)		\$1,698,187
		Debt Service / Bond Repayment (Fund 40)		\$781,194
			Total Revenues	\$16,774,363

This budget incorporates the following revenue measures:

- There will be an increase in the General Fund Tax Levy of 6.65%.
- Taxes to be raised for the 2026-2027 School Budget: General Fund \$12,048,799 and Debt Service \$781,194.

OB-3

WHEREAS, the Hardyston Township Board of Education recognizes school staff and Board members will incur travel expenses related to and within the scope of their current responsibilities and for travel that promotes the delivery of instruction or furthers the efficient operation of the school district:

WHEREAS, N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-7 requires Board members to receive approval of these expenses by a majority of the full voting membership of the Board and staff members to receive prior approval of these expenses by the Superintendent of Schools and a majority of the full voting membership of the Board; and,

WHEREAS, a Board of Education may establish, for regular district business travel only, and annual school year threshold per staff member where prior Board approval shall not be required unless this annual threshold for a staff member is exceeded in a given school year (July 1 through June 30); and,

WHEREAS, travel and related expenses not in compliance with N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-7. but deemed by the Board of Education to be necessary and unavoidable as noted on the approved Board of Education Out of District Travel and Reimbursement Forms: now,

THEREFORE, be it resolved, that the Hardyston Township Board of Education approves all travel not in compliance with N.J.A.C. 6A23A-7 et seq. as being necessary and unavoidable as noted on the approved Board of Education Out of District and Reimbursement Forms; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Hardyston Township Board of Education approves travel and related expense reimbursements (object '580') in accordance with N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-7, to a maximum expenditure of

\$40,000 for all staff members in the General Fund; and, that the school business administrator shall track and record these costs to ensure that the maximum amount is not exceeded.

Current expenditures for travel and related expenses for the 2025/2026 school year as follows:

Expenditures	\$1,656.33
Encumbrances	\$ 0
Funds Available	\$2,343.67

O/B-4

BE IT RESOLVED that the Hardyston Township Board of Education includes in the proposed budget the adjustment for banked cap in accordance with N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-10.1(b). The district has fully exhausted all eligible statutory spending authority and must increase the base budget in the amount of \$191,416 to sustain existing programs and student services without reductions.

O/B-5

BE IT RESOLVED that the Hardyston Township Board of Education includes in the proposed budget a Health Care Costs adjustment as calculated in the budget software and pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:7F-38 subsection (d) in the amount of \$334,443. The additional funds will be used to pay for the additional increases in health care premiums.

ACTION ITEM(S): O/B-2 – O/B-5 Tentative Budget 2026-2027

Motion of adopt:	_____			
	Seconded By: _____			
<u>MOTION</u>	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Carey	_____	_____	_____	_____
Demsak	_____	_____	_____	_____
Drelick	_____	_____	_____	_____
Hoffman	_____	_____	_____	_____
Kalczuk	_____	_____	_____	_____
Lucarelli	_____	_____	_____	_____
Marotta	_____	_____	_____	_____
Reinle	_____	_____	_____	_____
Stoll	_____	_____	_____	_____

IX. New Business

N/B-1

Whereas, the Board of Education and Dr. Ryder mutually agree to terminate Dr. Ryder’s contract, effective at the close of business March 31, 2026, and waive all other notice provisions,

Be it resolved, that the Board of Education approves Dr. Ryder’s early release from his employment contract as of that date, and be it further resolved that Dr. Ryder and the Board mutually waive all other contractual requirements.

ACTION ITEM(S): N/B-1

Motion of adopt:	_____			
	Seconded By: _____			
<u>MOTION</u>	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Carey	_____	_____	_____	_____
Demsak	_____	_____	_____	_____
Drelick	_____	_____	_____	_____

Hoffman	_____	_____	_____	_____
Kalczuk	_____	_____	_____	_____
Lucarelli	_____	_____	_____	_____
Marotta	_____	_____	_____	_____
Reinle	_____	_____	_____	_____
Stoll	_____	_____	_____	_____

X. Agenda Items:

MEETING MINUTES

1. February 10 – Regular Meeting
2. February 24 – Budget Workshop

Motion to adopt: _____ Seconded By: _____

MOTION	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Carey	_____	_____	_____	_____
Demsak	_____	_____	_____	_____
Drelick	_____	_____	_____	_____
Hoffman	_____	_____	_____	_____
Kalczuk	_____	_____	_____	_____
Lucarelli	_____	_____	_____	_____
Marotta	_____	_____	_____	_____
Reinle	_____	_____	_____	_____
Stoll	_____	_____	_____	_____

HIB REPORT *All policies and procedures have been followed and met; the February report is based on the recommendation of the Superintendent.*

Background: HIB report for 3-24-26 is located in the Executive Session folder and will be voted on at the April 28, 2026 BOE meeting (if necessary).

Motion of adopt: _____ Seconded By: _____

MOTION	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Carey	_____	_____	_____	_____
Demsak	_____	_____	_____	_____
Drelick	_____	_____	_____	_____
Hoffman	_____	_____	_____	_____
Kalczuk	_____	_____	_____	_____
Lucarelli	_____	_____	_____	_____
Marotta	_____	_____	_____	_____
Reinle	_____	_____	_____	_____
Stoll	_____	_____	_____	_____

FINANCE

F-1

Motion to approve \$58,532.57 in transfers for the month of February 2026.

F-2

Motion to approve the Bills List for the month of February 2026 in the amount of \$1,563,743.12.

F-3

Motion to approve the Treasurer of School Monies Comparison Report for January 2026.

F-4

Motion to approve the Board Secretary’s Monthly Comparison Report for January 2026.

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Education regulation N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(c)3 require local school districts to file a monthly certification of budgetary line item status,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education acknowledges that Susan Verso, Board Secretary, certifies the following statement: Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(c)3, I, Susan Verso, Board Secretary, certify that no budgetary line items accounts are over-appropriated nor over-expended for the period ending January 31, 2026.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(c)4 the board of Education certifies that as of after review of the board secretary’s and treasurer’s monthly financial reports and upon consultation with the appropriate school district officials, to the best of our knowledge, no major account or fund has been over-expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10(b) and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district’s financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

F-5

Motion to submit the budget workbook and budget narrative for the Preschool Expansion Aid in the amount of \$1,304,843 for the 2026-27 School Year.

F-6

Motion to authorize a one-time voluntary donation of unused sick, vacation, and/or personal leave days by staff members to support a staff member experiencing a medical condition. This action is voluntary for administration, teachers, secretaries, paraprofessionals, custodians, and all staff; however, this is an exception and cannot be used as a creation of a practice.

F-7

Resolved, the Board approves the parent transportation contract for student #576 in accordance with the terms therein. A copy of the contract is on file in the office of the Business Administrator.

ACTION ITEM(S): F-1 – F-7

<u>MOTION</u>	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Carey	_____	_____	_____	_____
Demsak	_____	_____	_____	_____
Drelick	_____	_____	_____	_____
Hoffman	_____	_____	_____	_____
Kalczuk	_____	_____	_____	_____
Lucarelli	_____	_____	_____	_____
Marotta	_____	_____	_____	_____
Reinle	_____	_____	_____	_____
Stoll	_____	_____	_____	_____

FACILITIES/OPERATIONS

F/O-1

Motion to approve the following 2025-2026 school year requests for use of the district facilities for the dates and times as indicated. All required paperwork and insurance confirmation will be on file; the main office will coordinate all dates and times.

NAME	LOCATION	DATE	TIME	DAY
Daisy Troop # 99263	HES classroom	2/10 – 6/30	6:00-7:00 PM	Thurs. 2x/mo.
Wallkill Valley Girl Scouts – Older Girl Group #98522	HMS Room 114	3/20	6:00-8:00 PM	Fri.
Hardyston Men’s Softball League	HES Fields	4/1 – 9/30	9:00 – 2:00 PM	Sun.

ACTION ITEM(S): F/O-1

MOTION	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Carey	_____	_____	_____	_____
Demsak	_____	_____	_____	_____
Drelick	_____	_____	_____	_____
Hoffman	_____	_____	_____	_____
Kalczuk	_____	_____	_____	_____
Lucarelli	_____	_____	_____	_____
Marotta	_____	_____	_____	_____
Reinle	_____	_____	_____	_____
Stoll	_____	_____	_____	_____

CURRICULUM/PROGRAMS

C/P-1

Motion to approve the listed travel events in agreement with Chapter 53, Public Law 2007, Title 18A, and Board Policy 9250:

EVENT	DATE	REGISTRATION FEE	MILEAGE & OTHER EXPENSES	EMPLOYEE / BOARD MEMBER	BENEFIT
LDT-C Training, William Paterson University	4/16/26	- 0 -	\$14.10	G. Gibson	Training for new online platform for LDT-Cs
School Purchasing Review, Whippany	3/31/26	\$145.00	- 0 -	S. Verso	Guidance on new procurement laws

C/P-2

Resolved to approve the following parent-paid class trip(s) for the 2025-2026 school year:

Grade	Destination	Date	Cost Per Student
HMS Select Students	STEM League Challenge, High Point Regional High School	4/17/26	TBD; sharing bus costs with regional schools
NJAHS & Yearbook	iMuseum at the American Dream Mall, East Rutherford	6/11/26	TBD
PreK	TurtleBack Zoo, West Orange	5/18/26	PEA Funded
Kindergarten	NJ Agricultural Learning Center, Sussex County Fairgrounds	6/2/26	\$17.00
Grade 1	Tranquility Farms, Andover	5/14/26	\$30.00
Grade 2	SCMUA, Lafayette	4/22/26	Funded by Hardyston Township through a grant
Grade 3	Sussex County Fairgrounds	5/11/26	\$17.00
Select HMS Students	Wallkill Valley Academic Bowl, WVRHS	3/30/26	Transportation to be determined; will be shared with regional schools

C/P-3

Motion to approve the following out of district students for the remainder of the 2025-2026 school year:

# STUDENTS	SCHOOL	TUITION
1	Chapel Hill Academy 31 Chapel Hill Road Lincoln Park, NJ 07035	\$ 435/per diem + aide (TBD) + transportation
1	Newton Board of Education 81 Merriam Ave. Newton, NJ 07860	\$ 2,773.40/month + transportation

ACTION ITEM(S): C/P-1 – C/P-3

<u>MOTION</u>	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Carey	_____	_____	_____	_____
Demsak	_____	_____	_____	_____
Drelick	_____	_____	_____	_____
Hoffman	_____	_____	_____	_____
Kalczuk	_____	_____	_____	_____
Lucarelli	_____	_____	_____	_____
Marotta	_____	_____	_____	_____
Reinle	_____	_____	_____	_____
Stoll	_____	_____	_____	_____

PERSONNEL

(All Personnel resolutions are based on the recommendation of the Superintendent.)

P-1

Motion to approve the substitutes listed below to be placed on our substitute calling list for the 2025-2026 school year. Employment is on an emergent basis, if necessary, and contingent upon criminal history background clearance as required by P.O. 1986, C.116.

NAME	POSITION	CERTIFICATION
Yvette Saldana	Teacher / Paraprofessional	Sub Cert. – Exp. 9/18/2028
Megan Vanatta	Teacher / Paraprofessional	Sub Cert. – Exp. 3/9/2031
Sandra Carra	Custodian	N/A
Julia Feldman	Teacher / Paraprofessional	CEAS: K-6, TOSD, P-3
Martin Herrick	RPO	N/A
Darryl Wuhrl	RPO	N/A

P-2

Motion to appoint/re-appoint the extra-curricular coaches and advisors for the 2025/2026 school year (step amount as per negotiated agreement):

The Board of Education shall determine the requirements of and qualifications for all extracurricular positions in the district as dictated by the nature of the activity in accordance with N.J.S.A. 34:13A-23. Upon recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board shall appoint to all extracurricular assignments, those individuals who have the proper qualifications for the position and can meet the requirements of the position. In the event a qualified candidate cannot be found within the district, the Board may employ a qualified person from outside the district.

Arielle Stampone Adventure Theater Advisor Stipend: \$526/15 hours

P-3

Motion to approve an unpaid medical leave of absence for Derek Nicholson, part time paraprofessional, to commence March 1, 2026. Mr. Nicholson will provide an end date as soon as he can be medically cleared to return to his position.

P-4

Motion to approve Monica Rowland as Interim Superintendent, at a daily rate of \$650.00, as outlined in the attached contract, which was reviewed and approved by the Executive County Superintendent of Schools, for the period beginning April 1, 2026, through on or about July 1, 2026.

P-5

Motion to approve Eric Sorensen-Vanderhoff, a student with Liberty University, to complete a 30-hour practicum during the 2026 spring semester. His mentor teacher will be Whitney Dugan, middle school Social Studies teacher.

P-6

Motion to accept, with regret, the resignation of Kristin Nagy, part time paraprofessional, effective February 27, 2026. Ms. Nagy will assume home duties.

P-7

Motion to accept, with regret, the resignation of Keri Demeter, part time paraprofessional, effective March 13, 2026. Mrs. Demeter would like to be included on our substitute list.

P-8

Motion to employ the following part time special education paraprofessional(s) for the 2025-2026 school year in accordance with the needs of the classified students and in conjunction with the ratified HTEA and with the condition that employment is terminated when the need for assigned services no longer exists.

Name	Step	Rate per Hour
Mykayla Ryder	2	\$18.42
Patrice Hess	8	\$21.39

P-9

Motion to accept, with regret, the resignation letter from Donald Peter, RPO, effective June 30, 2026. Mr. Peter is relocating to North Carolina.

P-10

Motion to approve Steven VanNieuwland as RPO (Retired Police Officer) for the period beginning September 1, 2026, at a rate of \$37.38 per hour, 7 hours per day, 180 days per year.

P-11

Resolved, that the Board of Education hereby places Maria Flaherty on a Federal family medical leave of absence using accumulated sick days, for the period March 19, 2026 and end on or about April 20, 2026. Ms. Flaherty intends to return to her current position on April 21, 2026.

P-12

Motion to accept, with regret, the resignation letter from Michelle Falco-Brunda, LTS – Grade 7 Math, effective March 20, 2026. Mrs. Falco-Brunda cannot fulfill the remainder of her agreement, which ends on April 19.

P-13

Motion to approve a stipend agreement for Lina Amodio (current full time paraprofessional), as a bus paraprofessional, at her current hourly rate of \$18.92, for 5 days a week totaling 8 hours per week.

ACTION ITEM(S): P-1 – P-13

MOTION	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Carey	_____	_____	_____	_____
Demsak	_____	_____	_____	_____
Drelick	_____	_____	_____	_____
Hoffman	_____	_____	_____	_____
Kalczuk	_____	_____	_____	_____

Lucarelli	_____	_____	_____	_____
Marotta	_____	_____	_____	_____
Reinle	_____	_____	_____	_____
Stoll	_____	_____	_____	_____

POLICY

POL-1

Motion to approve a first reading of the following policies/regulations:

- P0142.1 Nepotism
- P1220 Employment of Chief School Administrator
- P1552 Sexual Harassment – Staff
- R1552 Sexual Harassment – Staff
- P2530 Resource Materials
- R2530 Resource Materials
- P2535 Library Material
- R2535 Library Material
- P9130 Public Complaints
- R9130 Public Complaints

ACTION ITEM(S): POL-1

<u>MOTION</u>	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Carey	_____	_____	_____	_____
Demsak	_____	_____	_____	_____
Drelick	_____	_____	_____	_____
Hoffman	_____	_____	_____	_____
Kalczuk	_____	_____	_____	_____
Lucarelli	_____	_____	_____	_____
Marotta	_____	_____	_____	_____
Reinle	_____	_____	_____	_____
Stoll	_____	_____	_____	_____

POL-2

Motion to abolish the following policies/regulations:

- P3362 Sexual Harassment
- R3362 Sexual Harassment of Teaching Staff Members Complaint Procedure
- P4352 Sexual Harassment
- R4352 Sexual Harassment of Support Staff Members Complaint Procedure

ACTION ITEM(S): POL-2

<u>MOTION</u>	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Carey	_____	_____	_____	_____
Demsak	_____	_____	_____	_____
Drelick	_____	_____	_____	_____
Hoffman	_____	_____	_____	_____
Kalczuk	_____	_____	_____	_____
Lucarelli	_____	_____	_____	_____

Marotta _____
 Reinle _____
 Stoll _____

XI. Written Communication

XII. Public Comment (Board Policy #0167)

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Roll Call

Mrs. Donna Carey _____
 Mr. Nick Demsak _____
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 Ms. Dana Kalczuk _____
 Mrs. Susan Lucarelli _____
 Ms. Clarissa Marotta _____
 Mr. Ed Reinle _____
 Ms. Kelly Stoll _____

 Dr. Michael Ryder _____
 Mrs. Susan Verso _____

Action following Executive Session if needed:

XV. Adjournment

With no further action or discussion required of the Hardyston Township Board of Education as this time, a motion was presented by _____, and seconded by _____, to adjourn the meeting at _____ p.m.